

**MISSISSIPPI STATE BOARD OF CHIROPRACTIC EXAMINERS  
MINUTES OF JANUARY 27, 2005**

The Board of Chiropractic Examiners met at the Hampton Inn and Suites, Jackson, MS. The meeting was called to order at 8:25 a.m. by Chairman Walker.

Those present:            Thomas Walker, D.C., Chairman  
                              Munson Hinman, D.C., Vice Chairman  
                              L. A. Norville, D.C.  
                              David Ritch, D.C.  
                              Michael Patterson, D.C.  
                              K. Mills McNeill, M.D. for Brian W. Amy, M.D.  
                              Steve Lawrence, Board Attorney  
                              Richard Walker, D.C., Executive Secretary

Chairman Walker declared a quorum.

Dr. Ritch motioned to accept the minutes of the October 28, 2004, Board meeting. Seconded by Dr. Patterson. Motion passed unanimously.

The Executive Secretary gave the following financial report: Appropriation for FY2005 is \$42,540.00. Expenses \$20,471.71. Cash in State Treasury is \$44,251.49. Revenue for the year is \$22,481.00. Dr. Norville motioned to accept the report as read. Dr. Ritch seconded. Motion passed unanimously.

Dr. Hinman gave the Continuing Education Committee report. Dr. Patterson motioned to approve the Gulf Coast Chiropractic Association's continuing education seminar and the Mississippi Chiropractic Association's continuing education seminars. Dr. Ritch seconded. Motion passed unanimously.

Dr. Patterson gave the Rules and Regulations Committee report concerning changing Rule 12 and 15. Dr. Norville motioned for final approval of the change to Rule 12, which is lowering the doctor renewal fee to \$100.00/year. Dr. Munson seconded. Motion passed unanimously. Dr. Norville motioned for final approval of the change to Rule 15 which is removing the stipulation that an extern can only renew twice. Dr. Ritch seconded. Motion passed unanimously.

Dr. Ritch motioned to allow the following graduate chiropractors to sit the Jurisprudence examination: Charles Argubright, D.C., Peter A. Kicha, D.C., Richard W. Alexander, D.C., and Angela McAlpine Riffell, D.C. They have met all requirements. Dr. Patterson seconded. Motion passed unanimously.

There was no legislative report.

Under New Business, the Board spoke with Peter Kicha, D.C. concerning his arrest record while he was in school.

The Board heard the administrative hearing at 9:00 a.m. on Anthony Wayne Vicheto, D.C., Complaint #24-02. Present at the hearing was Lisa Ciavarella, complainant; Anthony Wayne Vicheto, D.C.; Fred Lusk, attorney for Dr. Vicheto; and Rochelle Montiforte, Chiropractic Assistant for Dr. Vicheto. After presentations of the case by Steve Lawrence, Board Attorney, and cross-examination by Fred Lusk, the Board went into Executive Session for the purpose of rendering a verdict at 10:45 a.m. with Dr. Patterson motioning and Dr. Norville seconding. Motion passed unanimously. The Board came out of Executive Session at 11:25 a.m. with Dr. Patterson motioning and Dr. Ritch seconding. Motion passed unanimously. The Board finding on the first violation is not guilty, the second violation guilty of unprofessional conduct for which he is fined \$1000.00 dollars, on the third violation Dr. Vicheto is found guilty of unprofessional conduct as charged. He is in violation of Section 73-6-19(1)(f) of the Mississippi Code of 1972, as amended, by his entry of a guilty plea to a misdemeanor charge of possession of a Controlled Substance in the Circuit Court of the Second Judicial District of Harrison County, Mississippi. The Board concurs with the Court's adjudication of that matter, including the requirement that Dr. Vicheto permanently surrender his license to perform chiropractic services in the state of Mississippi. The Board requires the surrender of the License along with the Therapeutic Modality certificate and License renewal card. They are permanently surrendered and shall not be reinstated unless authorized by both a court of competent jurisdiction and also the Board of Chiropractic Examiners.

Dr. Norville motioned to approve Lad Nompone, D.C.'s application for extern (Hubert Smith, D.C., sponsor). Dr. Hinman seconded. Motion passed unanimously.

With all documentation present, Dr. Ritch motioned to sign the SPEC application for Debra Stine, D.C. Dr. Hinman seconded. Motion passed unanimously.

Dr. Norville motioned to renew for six months the extern certificate of Patrick Ballard, D.C. Dr. Patterson seconded. Motion passed unanimously.

Dr. Hinman motioned to renew for six months the extern certificate of Thomas Johnson D.C. Dr. Norville seconded. Motion passed unanimously.

Concerning Complaint #25-01, Dr. Norville motioned for the executive secretary to write a letter to the Yellow Book Company for a retraction of the yellow page advertisement. Dr. Hinman seconded. Motion passed unanimously.

Dr. Norville motioned to send a letter to Robert Youngblood, D.C. concerning his proposed advertisement. Dr. Patterson seconded. Motion passed unanimously.

Dr. Ritch motioned to reinstate Rockford McCord, D.C.'s license. Dr. Norville seconded. Motion passed unanimously.

Dr. Ritch motioned the following doctors have passed the Jurisprudence examination and will be issued a license: Charles Argubright, D.C., Peter A. Kicha, D.C., Richard W. Alexander, D.C., and Angela McAlpine Riffell, D.C. Dr. Norville seconded. Motion passed unanimously.

Dr. Ritch motioned to send Thomas F. Walker, D.C. as the voting delegate to the National Board of Chiropractic Examiners and Federation of Chiropractic Licensing Board. Dr. Patterson seconded. Motion passed unanimously.

Dr. Patterson motioned to approve pay vouchers. Dr. Ritch seconded. Motion passed unanimously.

Dr. Norville motioned to have all doctors be required to give the office address to the Board and to notify the Board of any changes of said address. Dr. Walker gave this to Dr. Patterson as Chairman of the Rules and Regulations Committee to research. A report will be given at the next meeting.

There being no further business, Dr. Norville motioned for adjournment. Dr. Hinman seconded. Motion passed unanimously.

Meeting adjourned at 12:10 p.m.

Next scheduled Board meeting:	April 28, 2005
Next scheduled examination:	April 28, 2005

Respectfully submitted,

Richard W. Walker, D.C.  
Executive Secretary

Signed by Chairman Walker as approved on 4/28/05.

**MISSISSIPPI STATE BOARD OF CHIROPRACTIC EXAMINERS**  
**MINUTES OF APRIL 28, 2005**

The Board of Chiropractic Examiners met at the Hampton Inn and Suites, Jackson, MS. The meeting was called to order at 8:30 a.m. by Chairman Walker.

Those present:            Thomas Walker, D.C., Chairman  
                              Munson Hinman, D.C., Vice Chairman  
                              L. A. Norville, D.C.  
                              David Ritch, D.C.  
                              Michael Patterson, D.C.  
                              Brian W. Amy, M.D.  
                              Leyser Hayes, Board Attorney  
                              Richard Walker, D.C., Executive Secretary

Chairman Walker declared a quorum.

Dr. Hinman motioned to accept the minutes of the January 27, 2005, Board meeting. Seconded by Dr. Norville. Motion passed unanimously.

The Executive Secretary gave the following financial report: Appropriation for FY2005 is \$42,540.00. Expenses \$30,044.26. Cash in State Treasury is \$42,989.11. Revenue for the year is \$31,326.00. Dr. Hinman motioned to accept the report as read. Dr. Norville seconded. Motion passed unanimously.

There was no continuing education report.

Dr. Ritch motioned to allow the following graduate chiropractors to sit the Jurisprudence examination: Tamecula Denise Black, D.C.; Todd Robert Custer, D.C.; Heath James Ladner, D.C.; David Leu, D.C.; Russell Howard Mauk, D.C.; Paul Douglas Murry, D.C.; Brian Lang Tran, D.C. They have met all requirements. Dr. Patterson seconded. Motion passed unanimously.

There was no legislative report.

Under Old Business, Dr. Norville motioned to change Rule 13.1 (a) by adding: (1) Branch office/clinic name and physical address. He further motioned to send this change to the profession for comments and if there are no comments to send a final adoption of this rule to the Secretary of State office. Dr. Amy seconded. Motion passed unanimously.

Dr. Hinman motioned to send a letter to the Yellow Book Company concerning the Gulf Coast yellow pages book. Dr. Norville seconded. Motion passed unanimously.

Under New Business, Dr. Ritch motioned to continue the administrative hearing for Carl Hunt, D.C. until the October 27, 2005, Board meeting. Dr. Hinman seconded. Motion passed unanimously.

Dr. Patterson motioned to withdraw from the agenda the administrative hearing for Harry Dorsey, D.C. because the complainant has withdrawn her complaint against Dr. Dorsey. Dr. Norville seconded. Motion passed unanimously.

With all documentation present, Dr. Hinman motioned to sign the SPEC application for Deborah Hill, D.C. Dr. Norville seconded. Motion passed unanimously.

Dr. Amy motioned to renew the extern certificate for Bradley Johnson, D.C. Dr. Patterson seconded. Motion passed unanimously.

Dr. Norville motioned to approve Ivory Thigpen as a preceptor working with Endre Matthews, D.C. Dr. Ritch seconded. Motion passed unanimously.

Dr. Norville motioned to adopt new procedures for administrative hearings congruent with Section 73-6-19(3). Dr. Patterson seconded. Motion passed unanimously.

Concerning Complaint #25-05, Dr. Patterson motioned to write a letter to ACN group. Dr. Norville seconded. Motion passed unanimously.

Dr. Ritch motioned the following doctors have passed the Jurisprudence examination and will be issued a license: Tamecula Denise Black, D.C.; Todd Robert Custer, D.C.; Heath James Ladner, D.C.; David Leu, D.C.; Russell Howard Mauk, D.C.; Paul Douglas Murry, D.C.; Brian Lang Tran, D.C. Dr. Amy seconded. Motion passed unanimously.

Dr. Ritch motioned to approve pay vouchers. Dr. Hinman seconded. Motion passed unanimously.

The executive secretary gave a report on the audit of the books by the State Auditor's office.

At 10:30 a.m., the administrative hearing for Steven Dodge, D.C. was held. Present were the complainant, Lisa Truong, Dr. Dodge, Howard Smith, Attorney for the Defense, and Leyser Hayes, Attorney for the Prosecution. After testimony by both sides and questions from the Board of Chiropractic Examiners, Dr. Hinman motioned that there was reason to go into executive session. Dr. Norville seconded. The Board went into executive session for deliberation at 11:59 a.m. Dr. Hinman motioned to come out of executive session at 12:45 p.m. Dr. Norville seconded. Motion passed unanimously. It was the finding of the Board that Dr. Dodge was guilty of unprofessional conduct and was sentenced to the following: (1) one year probation; (2) to take and pass the Ethics and Boundary Examination of the National Board of Chiropractic Examiners. Failure to pass this exam within one year may result in revocation of Dr. Dodge's chiropractic license; and (3) the doctor is to report back to the Board at the April 2006 Board meeting.

There being no further business, Dr. Norville motioned for adjournment. Dr. Ritch seconded. Motion passed unanimously.

Meeting adjourned at 12:56 p.m.

Next scheduled Board meeting:	July 28, 2005
Next scheduled examination:	July 28, 2005

Respectfully submitted,

Richard W. Walker, D.C.  
Executive Secretary

Signed by Chairman Walker as approved on 7/28/05.

**MISSISSIPPI STATE BOARD OF CHIROPRACTIC EXAMINERS  
MINUTES OF JULY 28, 2005**

The Board of Chiropractic Examiners met at the Hampton Inn and Suites, Jackson, MS. The meeting was called to order at 8:20 a.m. by Chairman Walker.

Those present:            Thomas Walker, D.C., Chairman  
                              L. A. Norville, D.C.  
                              David Ritch, D.C.  
                              Michael Patterson, D.C.  
                              Brian W. Amy, M.D.  
                              Richard Walker, D.C., Executive Secretary

Those absent:            Munson Hinman, D.C., Vice Chairman  
                              Brian W. Amy, M.D.  
                              Leyser Hayes, Board Attorney

Chairman Walker declared a quorum at 8:37 a.m.

Dr. Patterson motioned to nominate Thomas Walker, D.C. for Chairman of the Board. Seconded by Dr. Norville. There being no further nominations, nominations ceased. Dr. Walker was elected by acclamation.

Dr. Ritch motioned to nominate Munson Hinman, D.C. as Vice Chairman of the Board. Seconded by Dr. Patterson. There being no further nominations, nominations ceased. Dr. Hinman was elected by acclamation.

Dr. Norville motioned to accept the minutes of the April 28, 2005, Board meeting. Seconded by Dr. Patterson. Motion passed unanimously.

The Executive Secretary gave the following financial report: Appropriation for FY2005 is \$42,540.00. Expenses \$42,535.10. Cash in State Treasury is \$75,449.66. Revenue for the year is \$75,763.00. Appropriation for FY2006 is \$46,982.00. Dr. Patterson motioned to accept the report as read. Dr. Norville seconded. Motion passed unanimously.

There was no continuing education report.

There was no rules and regulations report.

There was no legislative report.

Dr. Ritch motioned to allow the following graduate chiropractors to sit the Jurisprudence examination: David C. Edwards, D.C.; James Michael Lovett, D.C.; Jeffrey Carroll Sengbusch, D.C.; Brandon R. Smith, D.C.; Ivory Torrey Thigpen, D.C. They have met all requirements. Dr. Norville seconded. Motion passed unanimously.

Under Old Business, an administrative hearing for Carl Hunt, D.C. was scheduled for October 27, 2005 at 9:00 a.m.

Under New Business, Dr. Norville motioned to renew the extern certificate for Patrick Ballard, D.C., for six months. Dr. Patterson seconded. Motion passed unanimously.

Dr. Ritch motioned to approve Jonathan Glenn, D.C. as a preceptor working with Chris Fowler, D.C. Dr. Norville seconded. Motion passed unanimously.

Dr. Ritch motioned to approve Jonathan Glenn, D.C. for the extern program upon his graduation from chiropractic college in August, 2005. Chris Fowler, D.C. is the sponsoring doctor. Dr. Norville seconded. Motion passed unanimously.

Dr. Norville motioned to approve Jeremy Goulet, D.C. as an extern working under Gary Goulet, D.C. as his sponsoring doctor. Dr. Patterson seconded. Motion passed unanimously.

Concerning the Board applicant, David L. Bennett, D.C., Dr. Patterson motioned to table this item until further investigation is completed and more information is received. Dr. Norville seconded. Motion passed unanimously.

Dr. Ritch motioned to address Steve Tencer, D.C.'s probation fulfillment at the October Board meeting. Dr. Norville seconded. Motion passed unanimously.

Dr. Norville motioned to accept the contract with the Attorney General's office for FY2006. Dr. Ritch seconded. Motion passed unanimously.

Dr. Norville motioned to approve the administrative change in collecting continuing education hours before renewal by the Executive Secretary's office. The new administrative policy is as follows:

The Board of Chiropractic Examiners will not continue to collect the continuing education hours during the year. This is now the responsibility of the individual doctors and clinic staff to collect their hours and send to the Executive Secretary's office only when their license or certificate is renewed at the end of each fiscal year (June 30). Keep these hours in your office until you send all items required for renewal each year.

Dr. Patterson seconded. Motion passed with Dr. Norville, Patterson, and Walker voting "Aye" and Dr. Ritch voting "Nay".

The executive secretary discussed possible changes in how the Board will be doing administrative hearings and changes in rules and regulations.

Concerning complaint #25-06, Dr. Patterson motioned to send a letter to the complainant asking clarification of specific questions. Also, send a letter to the doctor in question requesting records. Dr. Ritch seconded. Motion passed unanimously.



Concerning complaint #25-07, Dr. Ritch motioned to send a letter to the doctor in question requesting records. Dr. Patterson seconded. Motion passed unanimously.

Concerning complaint #25-08, Dr. Ritch motioned to send a letter to the doctor in question requesting a response to the complaint, as well as a letter to the complainant. Dr. Patterson seconded. Motion passed unanimously.

Concerning complaint #25-09, Dr. Ritch motioned to send a letter to the complainant asking for specific questions about the complainant's employment and send a letter to the doctor asking for a response to the complaint. Dr. Patterson seconded. Motion passed unanimously.

Dr. Ritch motioned the following doctors have passed the Jurisprudence examination and will be issued a license: David C. Edwards, D.C.; James Michael Lovett, D.C.; Jeffrey Carroll Sengbusch, D.C.; Brandon R. Smith, D.C.; Ivory Torrey Thigpen, D.C. Dr. Patterson seconded. Motion passed unanimously.

Dr. Patterson motioned to approve pay vouchers. Dr. Ritch seconded. Motion passed unanimously.

Dr. Norville motioned to add a page to the website. He further motioned to allow the executive secretary to enter into a contract to complete this addition to the website with ITS. Dr. Patterson seconded. Motioned passed unanimously.

Dr. Patterson motioned to send letters to two insurance claims review companies, as well as copies of the claims review law and a list of all Mississippi-certified claims reviewers. Dr. Norville seconded. Motion passed unanimously.

The executive secretary gave a report on the auditor's findings and on the number of doctors that have not yet renewed.

There being no further business, Dr. Norville motioned for adjournment. Dr. Patterson seconded wholeheartedly. Motion passed unanimously.

Meeting adjourned at 11:05 p.m.

Next scheduled Board meeting:	October 27, 2005
Next scheduled examination:	October 27, 2005

Respectfully submitted,

Richard W. Walker, D.C.  
Executive Secretary

Signed by Chairman Norville as approved on 10/27/05.

**MISSISSIPPI STATE BOARD OF CHIROPRACTIC EXAMINERS  
MINUTES OF OCTOBER 27, 2005**

The Board of Chiropractic Examiners met at the Hampton Inn and Suites, Jackson, MS. The meeting was called to order at 8:30 a.m. by Vice Chairman Hinman.

Those present:           Munson Hinman, D.C., Vice Chairman  
                              L. A. Norville, D.C.  
                              David Ritch, D.C.  
                              Michael Patterson, D.C.  
                              David Allen, D.C.  
                              Brian W. Amy, M.D.  
                              Leyser Hayes, Board Attorney  
                              Richard Walker, D.C., Executive Secretary

Vice Chairman Hinman declared a quorum at 8:30 a.m.

Dr. Patterson motioned for a new election of Chairman and Vice Chairman. Seconded by Dr. Ritch. Motion passed unanimously.

Dr. Hinman motioned to nominate L.A. Norville, D.C. as Chairman. Seconded by Dr. Ritch. There being no other nominations, Dr. Norville was elected by acclamation.

Dr. Patterson motioned to nominate Munson Hinman, D.C. as Vice Chairman. Seconded by Dr. Ritch. There being no other nominations, Dr. Hinman was elected by acclamation.

Chairman Norville proceeded with the Board meeting.

Chairman Norville went on record to say that Thomas Walker, D.C.'s years of service to this Board was outstanding. Dr. Walker was a dedicated member for twenty-six years to not only this Board but to the Chiropractic profession in Mississippi and nationally. His leadership, knowledge, and devotion to Chiropractic will be greatly missed.

Chairman Norville welcomes the newest member of the Board, David Allen, D.C. from Starkville. He was appointed by Governor Barbour for a term of five years, ending April 20, 2010.

Dr. Hinman motioned to accept the minutes of the July 28, 2005, Board meeting. Seconded by Dr. Amy. Motion passed unanimously.

The Executive Secretary gave the following financial report: Appropriation for FY2006 is \$46,982.00. YTD expenses \$9,340.00. Cash in State Treasury is \$74,210.86. YTD revenue is \$9,672.00. Dr. Ritch motioned to accept the report as read. Dr. Patterson seconded. Motion passed unanimously.

There was no continuing education report.

There was no rules and regulations report.

There was no legislative report.

Dr. Ritch motioned to allow the following graduate chiropractors to sit the Jurisprudence examination: Melvin Richard Edgil, II, D.C.; Jonathan W. Glenn, D.C.; Criss Deann Loven, D.C.; and Eric Matthew Patten, D.C. They have met all requirements. Dr. Amy seconded. Motion passed unanimously.

Under Old Business, Chairman Norville appointed a committee consisting of Dr. Patterson, Dr. Allen, and Dr. Walker, *ex officio*, to look into the administrative rule changes.

Dr. Walker updated the Board on changes on the website.

David Bennett, D.C.'s license application was continued tabled until information from Georgia is received.

Regarding Complaint #25-06, Dr. Hinman motioned to send a letter to the doctor requesting his presence at an informal meeting concerning this complaint. Dr. Allen seconded. Motion passed unanimously.

Regarding Complaint #25-07, Dr. Patterson motioned to remand to the records this complaint as the complaint has been resolved. Dr. Allen seconded. Motion passed unanimously.

Regarding Complaint #25-08, Dr. Patterson motioned, under advice of counsel, that the Board had no jurisdiction in this matter because no violation was noted. Dr. Ritch seconded. Motion passed unanimously.

Regarding Complaint #25-09, Dr. Patterson motioned that the Board had no jurisdiction in this matter because no violation was noted. Dr. Ritch seconded. Motion passed unanimously.

Under New Business, The Administrative Hearing on Carl Hunt, D.C., Complaint #25-02, has held at 9:15 a.m. with the doctor and his attorney, Sorie Tarawally, present. Also, present was Copucine White, complainant. After presentation of the case by both sides, Dr. Patterson motioned to go into Executive Session at 11:50 a.m. in order to render an opinion in this case. Dr. Hinman seconded. Motion passed unanimously.

Dr. Patterson motioned to come out of Executive Session at 1:18 p.m. Dr. Allen seconded. Motion passed unanimously. The Board found Dr. Hunt guilty of unprofessional conduct and the following Board Order was declared: (1) Three years probation; (2) \$1,500.00 fine; (3) Take and pass the Ethics and Boundaries Test of the

National Board of Chiropractic Examiners within two years; (4) The doctor is to leave the door open with all female patients unless a female CA is in the room with him at all times.

Dr. Patterson motioned to move the Board meetings to the Department of Health Board Room with Dr. Amy's blessings. Dr. Hinman seconded. Motion passed unanimously.

Steven Tencer, D.C. appeared before the Board to fulfill all aspects of his probation, having completed the Ethics and Boundaries Test in September, 2005. His license is now non-restricted and active.

Dr. Patterson motioned to revoke the following doctor's license:

Eric Harroun, D.C.	James Hollis, D.C.	Darren Jagessar, D.C.
David Kelling, D.C.	Joseph Lawrence, D.C.	Mark Magdanz, D.C.
Amy Novac, D.C.	Robert Roach, D.C.	

Dr. Patterson also motioned to exclude the following doctors because of the destruction on the Mississippi Coast by Hurricane Katrina until the January 2006 Board meeting:

James Drake, D.C.	Brady Toulme, D.C.
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Dr. Allen seconded. Motion passed unanimously.

Dr. Hinman motioned to not insure the Board computer system because it was not cost effective. Dr. Ritch seconded. Motion passed unanimously.

Concerning the request on the Laser Light Hair Removal being in the Mississippi Chiropractic scope of practice, Chairman Norville formed a committee consisting of Dr. Hinman and Dr. Ritch to study the issue and report in the January 2006 Board meeting.

Concerning the Dynamic/Digital Motion X-ray question, Chairman Norville formed a committee consisting of Dr. Patterson and Dr. Allen to study the issue and report in the January 2006 Board meeting.

Dr. Ritch motioned the following doctors have passed the Jurisprudence examination and will be issued a license: Melvin Richard Edgil, II, D.C.; Jonathan W. Glenn, D.C.; Criss Deann Loven, D.C.; and Eric Matthew Patten, D.C. Dr. Patterson seconded. Motion passed unanimously.

Dr. Hinman motioned to renew Bradley Johnson, D.C.'s extern certificate for six months. Dr. Ritch seconded. Motion passed unanimously.

Dr. Patterson motioned to approve pay vouchers. Dr. Ritch seconded. Motion passed unanimously.

There being no further business, Dr. Allen motioned for adjournment. Dr. Ritch seconded. Motion passed unanimously.

Meeting adjourned at 1:50 p.m.

Next scheduled Board meeting: January 26, 2006  
Next scheduled examination: January 26, 2006

Respectfully submitted,

Richard W. Walker, D.C.  
Executive Secretary

Signed by Chairman Norville as approved on 01/26/06.